

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: Kenneth C. Kennedy, II et al.

Appln. No.: 10/792.031

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For: NON-BUCKLING BALLOON CATHETER

Attorney Docket No.: 10000/303 (PA-5330-CIP)

Examiner: Patel, Shefali Dilip

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## RESPONSE

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated January 2, 2009, please reconsider the rejection in view of the remarks presented herein.